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## STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION

## **NOTICE OF DECISION**

## State Responsibility Area Five Year Review, 2005

Announcement Date: November 16, 2005

**Action Item for County Administrators**: Please post this notice at your county's assessor, recorder and planning department offices.

Pursuant to Public Resources Code (PRC) §4125-4128, the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (Board) classifies all lands in the state for the purposes of determining areas in which the financial responsibility of preventing and suppressing wildfire is primarily the responsibility of the state. These lands are termed State Responsibility Area (SRA). The maps depicting these lands are updated, according to statute, every five years.

The Board adopted the five year update to the SRA maps following a public hearing held on October 12, 2005. The amendments were made in accordance to a guidance document specified in 14 CCR section § 1220 titled "State Responsibility Area Classification System".

Informational documents and maps of the adopted changes may be found on the following link to the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection website: <a href="http://www.bof.fire.ca.gov/board/board\_current\_docs.aspx">http://www.bof.fire.ca.gov/board/board\_current\_docs.aspx</a>. The maps are officially located at the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Fire Protection Section, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Resources Building, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, California, 95814.

Pursuant to the requirements in the above guidance document, PRC 4125, and other regulations, notification of changes to the SRA map is required to be sent affected entities and posted at county recorder, assessor and planning offices. We would appreciate counties posting this notice as required by PRC 4125.

Questions regarding the hearing may be directed to Mr. Christopher Zimny, Regulations Coordinator, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, at (916) 653-9418 or via mail to Mr. George Gentry, Executive Officer of the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, California 94244-2460. Comments may also be received via email at: board.public.comments@fire.ca.gov.